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# The "Recognition" of Huerta

SINCE MUCH has been said about the "recognition" of president Huerta by European governments, it is of interest to know the exact terms and dates of the notes of "recognition." Official copies have come to The Herald from the Mexican inspector of consulates. From these it appears that "Your good" friend, George" (as the king of England signs himself in his note to Huerta) "recognized" the provisional president on March 31, 1913, only a few weeks after Madero and Suares were "accidentally shot." President Poincare of France followed on April 5, but he signs himself simply "Poincare." Francis Joseph, emperor of Austria, dates his note April 30.

King George opens his letter with the words: "Health, our good friend." President Poincare opens with "Dear and great friend." And emperor Francis Joseph goes a bit stronger with 'Most honorable and favorite friend."

All these salutations are of course the mere lingo of diplomatic intercourse, nignifying nothing special. It is the contents of the notes that really counts.

All the letters were sent in answer to one by Huerta dated February 19, and king George summarizes Huerta's letter in these words: "In which you inform us that you have been constitutionally called to the provisional exercise of the functions of provisional president." King George commends Huerta to the protection of the Almighty. He studiously avoids wasting words in formal "recogmition," contenting himself with the words: "Accept our best wishes for your health and happiness," immediately proceeding to express interest "in all that, concerns the welfare and prosperity" of Mexico. He addresses his letter "To the provisional president of the United Mexican States."

President Poincare, addressing "His excellency, Victoriano Huerta, provisional president," etc., says "With true pleasure I have received the letter," etc. The rest is good wishes for Huerta's personal welfare and the prosperity of the nation.

The Austrian emperor say- "We have received the letter in which you have informed us of your elevation to the supreme magistracy of the republic of the United Mexican States in the character of provisional president. We felicitate you upon this happy event, in a spirit of the most sincere friendship which you, have expressed in your letter." The rest is mere formal courtesy.

It is quickly seen that each of the three powers merely acknowledged notice, and accepted the de facto government at its own estimate, not undertaking to inquire into the regularity of the proceedure with which Huerta "was elevated."

The United States-since the president and secretary of state felt so keenly the moral and ethical considerations involved-might have omitted much of the wording commonly known as "smoosh," and yet might have acknowledged receipt of Huerta's note and gone on doing business without sacrificing a single point of national honor. The position of the United States in subsequent negotiations, would have been infinitely stronger if that had been done; and if limited "recognition" had been accorded in the first place, the international problem would not have been one-quarter as serious as it has become by reason of the unscientific game played at Washington.

### A New Year Begins

C UMMER IS OVER, and everybody is both glad and sorry at the same time. The summer has seemed short, very short. Nothing that was planned to be done has been done. The weeks have sped by, and each week has seemed but a day. Some have worked hard at resting, and others have rested at their work. But the great majority have gone right along with their routine toll, with little relaxation or relief.

To the great mass, summer is a period of somewhat harder working conditions and easier living conditions. It costs less, on the average, to live in summer than in winter-that is, for the masses, but the people who travel and go to resorts do not always find it so. Just now the resort agencies are busy telling people that the fall is the best vacation season. And yet what is the use talking that way, when pockets are empty and there are back bills and borrowings to be paid before the summer extras are covered?

There is a certain freedom about summer existence that everybody likes, The ordinary conventions are relaxed, men and women meet on a more natural hasis, lives touch more closely, and humanity is breathed in with the fragrant summer air. But who has not felt the sort of oppression that comes with the end of summer, the sense of so many good intentions gone to seed without doing anybody any good? Men do not drive and feel driven in summer as they do in other seasons. It is easier to slip out of one's duty and obligations, easier to do the pleasant thing and let the drudgery go. But with the coming of the goldenrod,

the sting of duty's whip is felt again, and the pleasant thing seems wrong. There is a sharoness in the air these days, not only at night but by day. The lungs expand, cheeks color up, heads are carried high, and there is a new spring in the walk and sest in speech and act. The year is a-turn, and summer is all but forgot. Summer is out of fashion, and that ends it. It is the dawn of a

new year, no matter what the calendar says, Watch the window dressings of the big stores. Why, they have furs on display, and heavy coats. The smell of camphor and moth balls is in the blankets that lie at the foot of the bed to be pulled up just before dawn for the last tight snooze. Boilers and heaters are being looked over and patched up. Coal rattles

down the chute. Business is picking up, remarkably. Every merchant, wholesale and retail, reports increasing trade. There is more life in the streets. The evening crowds are gay, and the daytime crowds are buying goods, not merely looking in at window. Collections are improving. Money which has been mighty tight most of the summer is circulating more freely. People are coming to town from all around, to do their fall buying and to get in touch with a live city and its people. Summer is over, and everybody is both glad and sorry.

A funny kink in a man's mind was discovered the other day when a high railroad official, opposing steel cars, said the public would be afraid to travel if it thought the roads were unsafe without steel cars. Now why not go one better, and put the public in glass cars so it will think the roads are safe?

## An Unnecessary Exodus

ORE AND MORE it becomes plain, as time passes, that the order to Americans to get out of Mexico was unnecessary and unwise. If the logic of the Washington authorities were correct, surely a small number of American colonists would be in greater danger than a large number, but outrages upon Americans have been no commoner since the partial exodus than before.

The losses to American refugees, who in many cases have left behind everything they possess as the accumulation of years of effort, are already very large, but it is almost certain that there can be no claim on Mexico for reimbursment in these cases, because the refugees were ordered by their own government to leave, over the protest of the Mexicans. If any recompense is to be made to the refugees for their losses, it will have to be made by the American government; and in view of the penury which has characterized the dealings of the Washington government with Mexico and all latin-America of late years, it may be regarded ms certain that the refugees will get back nothing from their own government.

The American government flatly repudiated the natural claims of our nationals abroad for reasonable protection; refused to do anything in their behalf; and ordered them to leave. This disgraceful policy sets a precedent that the people of the United States traveling or living abroad will suffer under for the next half century.

# One-Sentence Philosophy

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

(Chicago News.) Swallowing your grief is a bitter dose. Not even a woman ever liked all her relatives.

Many a girl's ideal is shattered when he goes broke.

Even a self made man sometimes makes a bad job of it.

Though she may be as young as she leoks, she doesn't always look it.

Occasionally a man kicks because his name is in the paper—in small type.

It was feminine curiosity that led to the discovery of Moses in the bull-rushes.

rushes.

All the world ceases to love a lover when called upon to buy wedding pres-One may sometimes guess how a young man will turn out by noting the time he turns in.

QUAKER MEDITATIONS. (Phliadelphia Record.)

A promising future is almost as hard catch up with as our good inten-Many of us reach the door to suc-ess, but it isn't every fellow who can Even when they begin at the bottom

Even when they begin at the bottom of the ladder some fellows are afraid the bottom will fall out.

In politics it isn't the fellow with a family free who counts so much as the fellow who takes the stump.

"Do it yourself," quoted the Wise Guy. "Yes, don't let others make a fool of you," added the Simple Mug. Blobbs—"Have you ever noticed that a fellow generally admires a clever girl, even if she is plain?" Slebbs—"Yes, and I have also noticed that the same fellow generally marries a silly one, if she is pretty."

Mushrooms Become Staple

Dainty Fungi Food No Longer a Luxury; Woman Taster Takes Chances With Poisonous Kind.

ASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 16 .-In the minds of many experts, Septem or produces the finest mushrooms of any month in the year. Consequently, the mushroom hunter is most vigilant now to secure the greatest possible quantity of the small fungi knobs and buttons which may bring him a goodly sum from the eager market man. Sometimes the hunter is only a farmer boy, who may secure more money this mouth, from the mushrooms he finds in the fields as he drives the cows to pasture, than from any other resource throughout the summer. However, in gathering

the summer. However, in gathering mushrooms great care should be taken to avoid the poisonous species, known as "toadstools."

Despite the frequently reported cases of mushroom poisoning, the popularity of this fungi food has multiplied in the United States during the past ten years. The mushroom now bids fair to become a common article of food rather than a luxury. The market demand for it is heavier than ever before. In addition, thousands of families are procuring mushrooms for their before. In addition, thousands of fam-ilies are procuring mushrooms for their own use, either raising them from spawn or gathering them fresh in the fields and woodlands, or perhaps in their own yards. More than seven hundred species of edible mushrooms have been discovered in this country within a half century. The number of additional species of poisonous fungi of similar appearance is comparatively small.

Official Taster a Woman. The United States government is making every possible effort to protect the public from the dangers of mashroom poisoning. A Mycological exchange is maintained by the bureau of agriculture for this purpose. Every day quantities of mushrooms are be-ing sent in from different parts of the ing sent in from different parts of the country to be tosted by government experts. The rush is always greatest in this exchange after a prolonged spell of damp weather, which is conductive to the development of wiid mushrooms. The experts in charge of the exchange can assure themselves by a glance as to the poisonous quality of a specimen. This is not a sufficient test, however. Tasting is the only real test and only an expert can taste unknown mushrooms with safety. The official mushroom taster of the United States is Mrs. Patterson of the Mycological exchange, who is sometimes called the "Government Mushroom Woman." Mrs. Patterson has tested all of the more important fungi of mushroom type, native to this country, as well as many specimens sent her from foreign countries. Her decision as to foreign countries. Her decision as to the edibility of a mushroom is re-garded as final.

Takes Great Risks. Mushroom tasting is an art that can be mastered only by long experience. It requires courage and patience. The first rule is never to swallow the sa-liva when tasting mushrooms. Always have water thoroughly to rinse the have water thoroughly to rinse the mouth if there is a question as to the edibility of a mushroom. The laboratory rule "rinse every receptacle seven times" is especially applicable to the mushroom taster. The odor is also a test. It is said that the taste of the most deadly mushroom may be rather pleasant but the odor is unmistakable to anyone who has ence recognized it.

Starts a Fad; Becomes a Craze. The danger of purchasing mushrooms unresponsible persons, as well as the irregularity and inadequacy of the upply to meet the growing demand developed the cultivation of mush-rooms as a trade in this country. A few years ago, the mushroom demand was regarded somewhat as a fad developed a craze of get rich quick schemes which swept over the country. Speculators advertised extensively that any person might, without experience secure a handsome income by growing mushrooms in a cellar or upon any vacant spot. This too without interference with other occupations. Guide books and bricks of musuroom spawn were sold at prices ranging from \$5.00 up, and the investors were guaranteed a market at fabulous prices for all of the mushrooms they could raise.

Thousands of people failed to reap the rich rewards thus promised and raising mushrooms is no longer re-garded as a royal road to wealth. An increasing number of people are growing mushrooms each year, but they are making careful study and preparations and have some small capital to start. They do not receive even a dol-lar a pound for their produce. They are satisifed if they average half that Yet is is rapidly becoming recognized as a paying business.

France Leads. France has the best developed mush-room trade of the world. For at least three centuries, mushrooms have been an important product in the Parisian market. Paintings of market scenes by old masters in the sixteenth cent ury frequently show a basket of mushrooms in the foreground, thus indicating their popularity as a food even
then. They were cultivated in caves
and in catacombs under Paris and
other French cities. In 1870, a large cave was reported near Mery, which contained 21 miles of mushroom beds and yielded over 2000 pounds of mushrooms annually. The quantity of mushrooms sold in the Paris markets now approximates 20,000 pounds each year. About a third of these are for immediate consumption. The balance are preserved and largely exported. preserved and largely exported.

American Product Best. The United States depends largely upon imported French mushrooms when better quality could be produced at home. In Italy, Germany, Russia and other parts of Europe mushrooms are esteemed as food. In England they are cultivated extensively for home consumption and are also preserved and exported in large quantities. The English mushroom eatsup is a delicacy English mushroom catsup is a delicacy ecognized over the civilized world. In China and Japan, the mushroom has been known for many years. It has been included in the "Anti-Famine scriptions and illustrations of plants available for food wher the ordinary supply failes

Few Are Polsoned. Despite official caution, thousand of American people are enjoying the flav-or of mushrooms which they gather wild and the number who have suffered from poisoning is exceedingly small. The Agaricus campestris is the scientif-ic name of the common mushroom which can be found upon almost every field and pasture land. It is almost field and pasture land. It is almost always absolutely harmless always absolutely harmless. A Washington lawyer who learned to eat mushrooms while a boy upon his father's farm, claims that be could never be deceived by it. For several years he and his small son have had a regular route which they cover each week along some suburban ronds. They are frequently able to bring in several pounds of mushrooms which are fresher and of higher quality than are fresher and of higher quality than could be bought in the market.

Many cases of mushroom peisoning are exaggerated, although there is much danger. A group of fungi known as the "deadly amanita" is sometimes

to be found near the common mushroom and have doubtless been mistaken for it. It often happens that a species will Don't Be A Goop! occasional individuals Tomorrow: Rice Day.

ABE MARTIN



While th' season is well advanced it's not too late yit t' step on th' feet o' th' end seat hog. A feller 'll be praised fer a yard full o' children an' criticised for ownin' a auto.

#### 14 Years Ago Today From The Herald This Date 1800.

George Halle went to San Antonio M. E. Flores went up to Courchesne this morning.
W. G. Dunn returned home on the T & P. today.
Mrs. L. L. Stevens is in Casas Grandes

Mrs. L. L. Stevens is in Casas Grandes on a pleasure trip.

S. E. Murray and wife have gone to Clouderoft for a few days.

W. J. Rand and wife have gone to Clouderoft to spend a few days.

Millard Patterson left for Mineral Weils, Texus, on the T. P. today.

A. Mathias went to Clouderoft this morning to be gone for a few days.

L. E. Freudenthal leaves for White Caks in a few days on a business trip.

John W. Fisher, proprietor of the Person hotel, went to Alamogordo yesterday.

and Mrs. H. M. Dawson left for York city today by way of the R. H. Bishop, baggage master at the G. H. depot, handled 60 pieces of bag-gage yesterday. Capt. John Winn, after a two months' in Little Rock, Ark., returned on

the T. P. today.

A pleasant surprise party was ten-dered Miss Lily Merrill last evening by a number of her young friends.
A. H. Meyer, the El Paso street barber and shoe merchant, fell from his bicycle yesterday, breaking his right

forearm.

J. Jacoby, gager for Houck and Dieter, and a member of the El Paso ball team, has gone to Albuquerque to attend the funeral of his father.

S. M. Carter, local chairman of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, has gone to San Francisco to attend the annual meeting of the B. of L. E.

Albert Wilcox, of El Paso, captured one of the scholarships offered by Miss Helen Gould, at New York City. It will carry him through the New York university.

ival a success. The committee is as ollows; A. Courchesne, A. K. Albers, Frank Powers, U. S. Stewart, C. R. Jorehead, A. Krakauer and Felix Mar-

#### Free Weather By Walt Mason

The cost of living is so great we all lament together; we therefore should appreciate the fact that there's free weather. This is a blessing sweet and rare, and all our bards should rhyme it; the poorest man may have his share. free gratis, of the climate. He basks n weather rich and ripe-what luxury sweeter? No trust can pump it through a pipe or run it through a meter. And yet, alas, this precious boon we do not rightly cherish; in March, December, August, June, we're using words nightmarish, abusing everything that's sent, the rain, the drouth, the blizzard; we voice all kinds of discontent, from A clear through to Izzard. tent, from A clear through to Izzard. We ought to cry (unorateful set!) when down our whiskers trickle the large and briny drops of sweat: "It doesn't cost a nickel!" We ought to cry when comes the sleet, when raging floods are frothing, when we have frozen ears and feet: "We're getting this for nothing!" So let us strive to mend our ways and show we're long. mend our ways and show we're long on merit; and if they ship us beastly days, why, we'll just grin and bear it.

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ELSIE STILLWELL

It's curious, what a Goop will do! But still, you wouldn't think, would you. They'd read the letters that belong To someone else? You know it's wrong But Elsie Stillwell

doesn't care-She'd read a letter

"Bought and Paid For" The Great New York and London Successes.

By George Broadhurst

Synopsis of First Chapter. Robert Stafford, millionaire and man about town, meets Virginia Blaine, a telephone operator, who applies for a position as his atenographer. The mil-lionaire is immediately attracted to her, because she differs from other CHAPTER II.

-IRGINIA did not meet Mr. Stafford again for several days, Important business had called him out of town. It seemed like years to the little telephone girl. Would she ever see him again? And if not, why should it make any difference? Wherein did he differ from any of the other men with whom her work at the ho-tel had thrown her in contact? Could it be possible that she really cared? Had this man of wealth, this man of big business and club life, any particular attraction to her? Why did he stare at her so, and why did she wish

to see him again?
All these and many more questions presented themselves to Virginia one

presented themselves to Virginia one afternoon, as she was trying to get a line through to Chicago.

"Had any trouble with long distance lately?"

Virginia looked, up, startled. It was Robert Stafford.

For a moment the girl was at a loss to find an answer. He had returned to New York. And how handsome he looked as he stood there before her.

"Not more than usual," she smiled.
"Not even with Philadelphia?"
"No, not even Philadelphia. It seems that I have trouble with the line west mostly." Stafford looked at her for a full ninute without speaking. He couldn't elp admiring those large, black eyes, the finest arched eyebrows, the delicatly cut lips. Then he put in a call to Washington, and, with the request that she connect the party with his apartments, he withdrew, smiling. In a few moments Virginia received a review to come to Stafford's ceived a reuest to come to Stafford's rooms for more dictation. Upon reach-ing the door she hesitated. What could be the matter with her heart? It was fluttering, for a moment she felt she could not enter. There was an indefinable something that made her

t once happy and afraid. She knocked softly. "Come in."
"I beg your pardon, Miss Blaine. I should have come to the door, but I thought it was the bellboy."

As Virginia stood on the threshold, it seemed to her more than the en-trance to his rooms. She fancied she was entering a new life, and yet she couldn't tell just why, the feeling came over her.

He paid little attention to her dur-ing the several hours of dictation, being wholly absorbed in his work, and despite her protests, insisted on telephoning downstairs for some re-freshments. When these were brought to them daintily served, and the walter had withdrawn, he drew up a chair and asked her to serve. "You must be the hostess," he said laugh-

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The carnival committee is making any failer modesty, and before long found herself laughing and chatting undigested securities, should time locks with him on terms of delightful in-

'Didn't you tell me that your sister Fanny was going to be married? Stafford asked. Virginia laughed a low musical laugh, which seemed to charm him. "Yes," she said, "that's true. They are to be married next month." And then she explained: "I shall miss my sister terribly, but I will try to bear

it, if she is happy. I feel sure they'll be very happy. Their's is a marriage be very happy. "Do you believe in love?" he asked Virginia looked steadily at him.

"Of course I do," And she raised her teacup to hide the blush. What kind of love," he persisted. "And may I ask what you call Virginia opened her eyes wide with astonishment. "Why-why." she stammered, "don't you think there is

such a thing-"Of course I do," he laughed heartily amused at her surprise. But I don't think it is what the sentimental girl feels for the college football player. To my way of thinking love s not mere admiration. It's a slow steady growth and the soil in which it grows best is respect. Real respect, both for ourselves and for the

Why had he said this to her? The girl could not understand. Her nerv-ousness betrayed her thoughts, and Stafford, quick to relieve her of the little embarrassment, asked. Who is the man that your sister

Virginia explained that his name was James Gilley, and that he shipping clerk and worked for \$14 Stafford stared in amazement. With

an incredulous smile he exclaimed: "Only earning \$14 a week and he has the audacity to ask your sister to marry him?" "And you," he said, "you are to be left quite alone in the world?" He knew that she had lost her mother. Neither spoke. A rap on the door interrupted the pause. The waiter had come for the dishes, and both Stafford and Virginia collected the pretty pieces of

"Mr. Stafford, I must be going, You will want these letters the first thing Virginia felt that she must make some move to break the spell of charm that seemed to keep her in his

Very well," smiled Stafford, "we'llconsider business over for the day. but tomorrow-tomorrow I'll have a little surprise for you. Please say you will do what I ask-tomorrow." "What will it be?" "Wait and you will know all about t in time."

He reached out his hand. "Good afternoon," she said.
"No. Miss Blaine, just an revolr,"
(To be continued.)

SENATOR CULBERSON WILL SOON LEAVE SANATORIUM Cromwell, Conn., Sept. 16.—United States senator Charles A. Culberson, of Texas, who has been at a sanatorium in Cromwell for some weeks because of ill health, brought on by overwork, is reported as making rapid recovery and plans to go to Washington in a few weeks to resume his duties. He was out for an automobile ride with members of his family Sunday.

TAISHING PAYING OF SOUTHWESTERN TRACKAGE "This Is My Birthday Anniversary"

HIS is the birthday anniversary of a large number of boys and girls of El Paso. Some of them are getting along towards manhood and womanhood. Rebecca Maetz is among the oldest of those of school age celebrating today. She is 17 years of age, having been born September 16, 1896. Other boys and girls who are celebrating today and their ages follow:

Consuelo Daily, 14. Russell Naker, 13. Bertha Gibson, 10. Gordon M. Smithy, 14. Thelma Beeson, 16. Marie Cass, 14. Lydia Arterburn, 8. Clara Preston, 13.

Ailene O'Keeffe, 14. Robert McKee, 9. Ruby Traylor, 9. Charlotte Baber, 8. Katherine Kilburn, 12. Spieter Baumstark, 9. Marguerite McPherson, 14. Enid Ainsa, 16.

Advice To the Lovelorn

By Bentrice Fuirfax.

LEARN SELF CONTROL.

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Dear Miss Fairfax:
Four months ago I accidentally became acquainted with a young man, one or two years my senior, with whom I immediately fell in love. On another occasion I again met him accidentally on the street and we took a walk, on which occasion he was very attentive to me. Since then he has assumed a very cold attitude toward me. His religion is different from mine. Do you think that is the reason? Will you kindly advise me as to what course to pursue, as I am madly in love with

pursue, as I am madly in love with

him? F. O.
Your acquaintance with him is limited to two walks on the streets, and you really know nothing of him. To give your love so desperately on such slight pretext indicates dangerous lack of self control.

ligion does not intrude. He simply does not love you. He does not know you well enough. I want you to love and be loved, but I insist for your own

sake that you exercise some restraint

MARRY HER FIRST.

self control.
I am quite sure the question of re-

Victor Van Baunstark, 8. Bessie Lee Mitchell celebrated her first hirthday anniversary Monday. If any boy or girl has been omitted from the list, The Herald will be glad to run their name tomorrow if it is telephoned in. Watch for the list tomorrow, children. It will contain the names of the boys and girls who celebrate the 77th as their birthday anniversary.

### The Currency Question By GEORGE FITCH. Author of "At Good Old Siwash."

is now the custom at every session of congress to consider the Currency Question.

It has taken Congress a long time to get up to date in this matter. Every-one else has been considering it from

This year congress is to pass a new currency law and every good citizen should become familiar at once with the questions at issue,

The principal currency question at present and also in the past and probably in the future is the following: "Why is currency so scarce when we need it?"

When the patriotic citizen has mused over this question until the answer seems indisputable he should proceed upon the following inquiries:

"Should our currency be made elastic or self-propagating like the potato?" "Should the dollar bill in these times of high living be made large enough to be used as a blanket?"

Is it economically wiser to ship gold



be placed on the the American automo-

Should these be a central depository such as John D. Rockefeller, or should every citizen be allowed to lug money

around and perhaps lose it? Should call money be under control of National banks and subtreasuries or should anybody be allowed to call it? Should the national reserve be distrib ated in order to move the crops! Would t save the farmer the trouble of hitch-

ing up after threshing season? We should not leave congress to pon der these inflamed questions unaided but as patriotic citizens should at once secure samples of our national currency and do our duty in the great inquiry. Copyrighted George Matthew Adams.

#### YSLETA SCHOOL HAS ENROLMENT OF 150

Ysleta, Tex., Sept. 16.-School has opened here with a good attendance. Prof. Woblford, formerly of Fort Davis. is principal. Miss Jordan, of Marfa, has charge of a part of the primary department. Miss Vera Pool, who has been here for the past three years, is in charge of the Intermediate department and Miss Dorothy Winans, of El Paso, is in charge of the remainder of he primary department. There are pupils enroled. r. N. V. Mitchell has moved to the

Knoblauch place. He has reopened his it ug store. His office is connected with te store. L. H. Crawford has opened a grocery store in the White building, above the Buchanan property.

A moving picture show will be opened in the James Buchanan store building within the next few days.

A very enjoyable church social was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Patterson. Various games were played throughout the evening, and watermelon was sorved.

SIERRA BLANCA SCHOOL IS DELAYED IN OPENING IS DELAYED IN OPENING
Sierra Blanca, Texas, Sept. 14.—Puble school did not open here Monday as
xpected, Prof. C. E. Lunsford, the
vincipal, being called away to court
t Midland, Texas. at Midland, Texas.

Mrs. C. A. Carter has returned from a three weeks' visit to relatives in San Antonio and Austin, Texas.

Mrs. L. O. Ramsey is here from El Paso visiting Mrs. T. D. Love.

J. J. Scott, of Fort Bliss, was a visitor in Sierra Blanca.

Miss Neva Yarbro, from Dalberg, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Yarbro.

watermelon was served.

here.

Mesdames W. E. Love and C. J. McCormick are spending a few days at
Hot Wells.

W. M. Beaman and family are in
their ranch surchasing supplies. W. M. Beaman and family are in from their ranch purchasing supplies. P. W. Duncan, of this place, and Miss Eula Eobs, of Las Cruces, N. M., were quietly married at the parsonage at this place Sunday evening, Rev. G. H. McAnally officiating. Mr. Duncan is employed by the G. H. & S. A. railway as assistant agent at this place. The young folks held a social dance and barbecue at the Southwestern Mine company's mine, 10 miles west of Sierra Elanca last night.

Dr. Eugene Stableman and family are visiting relatives at the Southwestern mines, near Lasca.

COLQUITT TO TELL WHY

HE VETOED SOME BILLS Austin, Tex., Sept. 16.—Upon his return to Austin Wednesday, the governor is expected to make public his statement giving in detail his reasons for vetoing a number of the appropriations made for the university of Texas, the A. and M. college and other educational institutions

MARRY HER FIRST.

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I am in business with my father, who is wealthy. I am also in love with a girl of whom my parents disapprove because of the poverty of her family. They have no other objections. My father says he will disinherit me if I marry her. I have \$500 of my own and want to go somewhere else and start in business for myself, for I will not give up the girl. She wants to go with me and help make our fortune. Shall we marry now and go together, or shall I leave her till my fortune is made?

First get some definite notion of where you intend to go and what you intend to do when you get there. Your present business prominence will assist you in this. Then marry the girl and take her with you, making up your mind when you do it that love will recompense you for all the privations you are facing. I am sure you will find the extreme west a good place for a beginning, but you will have very little of that \$500 left when you get there.

to Europe or to send it over with our maudlin rich on condition that they stay there with it?

If the norm, call value and peak load of our fiscal reserve should fluctuate to correspond with the total visible and undigested accurities, health and the send here a highlighten. proper for me to send ner a card, as I have always sent her one whenever she celebrated her birthday.

Florence.

Send her a card by all means, but before you send it be sure you are the friend its sentiments would indicate. And, my dear young woman, you will not be that friend unless you can lay aside all differences and be on speaking terms again.

YOU CERTAINLY WERE.

Dear Miss Fairfax:

I have known a young man for the past five years and we were to be engaged in a few months.

We very seldom had any quarrels, but some time ago he made an appointment to call to see me which he did not keep. He wanted to write me, and through

not wanted to write me, and through a friend I sent him word that I did not want any explanation.

It is almost five weeks and I have not heard from him yet. Do you think that I was hasty?

D. D. D.

You showed a most unreasonable emper, and he did right in resenting Naturally, he did not call after such a message.

Write and tell him you are sorry.

A man who has been a faithful lover five years is too rare to be lost through

### SIX MAY BE IN THE GOVERNORSHIP RACE

Terrell's Candidacy for the Nomination Adds to Complexity; Three Are Pros and Three Antis.

Austin, Tex., Sept., 16.—The an-nouncement of Chester H. Terrell, of Bexar county, speaker of the house in the 33d legislature, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Texas in the primaries next July, created little surprise, as it had been generally understood that ne formal announcement would soon e made, but it has added materially to be complexity of the gubernational tuation. This means that it will be

a free for all affair.

There are not less than half a dozen candidates in the field, either as avowed candidates or prospective aspirants. There are three pros and three antis. The pros are W. P. Lane, present controler, who is an avowed and the controler, who is an avowed the controler. present controler, who is an avowed candidate, and lieutenant governor Will H. Mayes and Cullen H. Thomas, as prospective and near-candidates. The antis are Chester H. Terrell and A. Hanger, avowed candidates and senator John G. Willacy, prospective aspirant. This means a division of the pros and antis in the state, should all of these candidates and near-candidates decide to throw their hats

### BLAMES EMPLOYES FOR TRAIN WRECK

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 18.—Three employes of the New York, New Haven & Martford railroad are held by coroner Eli Mix to be criminally responsible for the disastrous wreck at North Haven on September 2, when the White Mountain express plunged through the second section of the White Mountain express plumed through the second section of the standing Bar Harbor express, exacting a toll of 21 lives. The coroner's finding was filed after he had conducted a "private" inquest.
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Augustus B Miller, engineer of the White Mountain express, and Bruce C, Adams and Charles H. Murray, con-ductor and flagman, respectively, of the Bar Harbor train.

The coroner neither blames nor absolves the New Haven road. He finds

the signals were in perfect working order "and whether the banjo signals are obselete or not, the accident would have been prevented if the company's The Texas Bitulithic company is finiseing up the paving across the El Paso and Southwestern rallroad's property and Southwestern rallroad's property laid on the street crossing Monday where the rails were concreted in The paving cost the railroad company \$20,
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